

## Polk County Observer

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DALLAS, OREGON, DECEMBER 8, 1908.

The way to build up Dallas is to pat-  
ronize Dallas people.



### TO BOOST DALLAS.

The "booster meeting" set for Fri-  
day night failed to materialize, owing  
to the inability of Mr. Wells, general  
advertising agent for the Harriman  
lines, to reach Dallas at that time.  
Tonight, however, the business men of  
Dallas will have ample opportunity  
to atone for the omission of that time,  
by attending the meeting which will  
be held tonight for the purpose of  
organizing a commercial club and  
arranging for a practical and an ex-  
tensive advertising campaign.

Mr. Wells was in Dallas this morn-  
ing, and met a number of the business  
men of Dallas in the county court  
room and outlined to them the "Sun-  
set" scheme of community advertising.  
Two plans were offered, in both of  
which the burden of expense upon the  
people of this community will be ex-  
tremely light, in comparison to the  
burden assumed by the Southern  
Pacific Company in carrying out the  
advertising work.

The proposition sanctioned by the  
business men who were present at this  
morning's meeting and which they  
will endeavor to carry through, calls  
for an expenditure of only \$500 by the  
people of Dallas. This sum is to be  
paid in installments, so that the share  
that each person assisting in the work  
would have to raise for each monthly  
installment, would be a mere bagatelle.

The scheme embodies a twelve  
months' campaign of advertisement  
of Dallas and its resources through-  
out the eastern states, a campaign  
that will put Dallas unmistakably on  
the map and call everybody's atten-  
tion to the fact that it is on the map.  
There is scarcely a city of any size  
in the Willamette Valley that has  
been less advertised than Dallas in  
the past. Yet, in spite of that fact,  
Dallas has by virtue of its inherent  
merits and its wonderful native  
resources, kept pace with, and in most  
cases outstripped its sister cities, in  
development. Given the added im-  
petus of systematic and business like  
"boosting" and its possibilities for  
further growth can scarcely be esti-  
mated.

To conduct the proposed campaign  
properly a commercial club or busi-  
ness men's organization is absolutely  
necessary and tonight's meeting has  
been called for the purpose of effecting  
such an organization. It is up to  
every citizen who wants to see the  
beginning of a growth in this city,  
that will fairly eclipse the growth of  
previous years, to lend his assistance  
to the present movement to get it  
started and then see that, once started,  
it shall never stop until the end for  
which it is being inaugurated has  
been accomplished.

### COURT HOUSE NOTES

Items of Interest From the Records  
in the County Offices  
Briefly Told.

#### PROBATE.

Estate of Frank L. Brown, de-  
ceased—annual report filed and  
approved subject to final settlement.

#### REAL ESTATE.

Clinton C. Sargent to Perry Connor,  
interest in 39 acres, 1 1/2 s, 1 1/2 w, 30.60.  
James F. May et ux to Alvin W.  
Fowler, 39 acres in Independence  
Fruit Farms, \$1,025.

R. L. Ellwood et ux to A. L. Clearwater  
and J. A. Cooper, 6 acres, 1 1/2 s, 1 1/2 w,  
\$1,900.

Ada Key et ux to A. J. Barham,  
335 acres, 1 1/2 s, 1 1/2 w, \$11,000.  
A. J. Barham et ux to Ada E. Key,  
lots in Dallas, \$5,000.

Thomas H. Dunmore et ux to  
Walker H. Berry, lots in Eola, \$400.

J. J. Stratton et ux to D. V. Stratton,  
interest in 124 acres, 1 1/2 s, 1 1/2 w, \$3,500.  
Z. M. and M. I. Knight to Salem, Falls  
City & Western Railway Company, .35  
acres, 1 1/2 s, 1 1/2 w, \$300.

Johnson Brothers have moved their  
lunch counter into the room just vac-  
ated by the Vose barber shop and  
will henceforth conduct their restaurant  
and confectionery independent of each  
other and on much more extensive  
lines.

## Bad Blood

Is the cause of all humors, eruptions,  
boils, pimples, scrofulous sores, eczema  
or salt rheum, as well as of rheuma-  
tism, catarrh and other troubles. The  
greatest blood remedy for all these  
troubles, proved by its unequalled  
record of cures, is

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

In usual liquid form or in chocolate  
tablets known as Sarsaparilla. 100 doses \$2.

### BUSY COURT SESSION

E. M. Young Is Found Guilty—Grand  
Jury May Return Many  
Indictments.

What bids fair to be the most inter-  
esting and important session of circuit  
court that has been held here for years  
is now in session in this city, and at  
the rate the work has progressed so  
far, the session bids fair to last  
through the entire week.

Yesterday morning was consumed  
in the reading of the docket and the  
drawing of the grand jury. The  
members of the grand jury are:  
W. E. Burns, foreman; T. R. Crook,  
J. H. Foster, Roy Byerley, A. J. Mar-  
tin, J. D. Slagle and J. L. Murdock.

Thus far only one true bill has been  
brought in. D. M. Beamer, of Mill  
Creek, was indicted for larceny in a  
dwelling house and was arraigned  
this morning, tomorrow morning  
being set for him to plead. W. L.  
Tooze, Jr., is acting as attorney for the  
defendant.

It is thought that tomorrow will  
bring forth a number of indictments  
for the illegal selling of intoxicating  
liquors, although the grand jury has  
returned none up to the present time.  
The rumor is that the prosecution of  
alleged sellers of liquor will be one of  
the most noteworthy features of the  
jury's work during its sitting, and the  
number of subpoenas issued seems to  
justify the inference.

The case of the State of Oregon vs.  
E. M. Young, which has dragged  
through the circuit courts for so long  
was finally brought to trial yesterday.  
Young was accused of shooting Asa  
Taylor, son of Marshal J. M. Taylor,  
of Independence. It is alleged that  
he also shot Marshal Taylor but this  
was not included in the charge, Young  
being indicted on only the one count.

Briefly, the history of the trial is as  
follows. A quarrel of long standing  
between the two men was finally pre-  
cipitated into a fist fight on the streets  
of Independence, over a disagreement  
about a dog. Young, it was claimed,  
saw the city marshal approaching to  
his son's assistance, and drew a gun,  
firing and striking young Taylor in  
the shoulder. He then turned the gun  
upon the marshal, the bullet inflicting  
a serious wound.

The case has aroused great interest  
in Polk county, and the court room  
was crowded with spectators during  
its progress. Yesterday afternoon was  
given to taking the testimony and  
this forenoon to the argument. The  
jury retired just before noon today to  
deliberate and returned a verdict of  
guilty at 1:30 this afternoon. Judge  
Burnett will fix the fine tomorrow.

The members of the jury in the  
Young trial were: James Atwater,  
W. V. Acocke, George Ball, J. M.  
Dickey, A. W. Fletcher, A. B. Athey,  
G. B. Zumwalt, W. A. Sloan, Albert  
Domes, R. Brunk, F. H. Pepper and  
John Ebbe. J. H. McNary conducted  
the prosecution and Oscar Hayter and  
John Carson were attorneys for the  
defense.

The case of J. H. Johnson vs. the  
Sheridan Lumber Company, a suit for  
money, is being tried this afternoon.

#### Important Notice.

A \$40.00 Banquet Steel Range to be  
sold to the highest bidder, regardless  
of price.

Adams, Brobst Company, house-  
furnishers are going to sell a \$40.00  
Banquet Steel Range, one of the best  
ranges on the market today, to the  
highest bidder, without reserve.  
Sealed bids will be received for the  
range up to the 24th day of December,  
1908, at 12 o'clock noon. All bids must  
be securely sealed, marked bid on  
range, and addressed to Adams, Brobst  
Company, Dallas, Oregon.

The Banquet Range is without a  
peer among the steel ranges on the  
market today and Adams, Brobst Com-  
pany have adopted this plan of calling  
the attention of the public to the  
merits of this particular range. The  
company will be glad to show the  
range and explain its merits to any-  
one interested, and if anyone bids on  
the range either after seeing it, or  
without seeing it, and find they do not  
want it, they will be under no obliga-  
tions to take it as it will then be  
awarded to the next highest bidder.  
The range to be sold in this novel  
method is one of the very best.

#### May Erect Hospital.

Dr. Koelche, of Ashland, was in  
Dallas last week endeavoring to make  
arrangements for establishing a  
hospital here. Dr. Koelche is a man  
of considerable means and says that  
if he decides to build here, that he will  
erect a hospital that will be first-class  
in every respect and fully equipped  
for competition with the hospitals of  
Portland. His wife is a trained nurse.  
Dr. Koelche returned to Ashland last  
week but will come to Dallas again  
soon to formulate definite plans for  
the carrying on of the new enterprise.

#### Will Get Mail Earlier.

Alvie Morton, mail clerk on the  
Portland-Dallas evening train, says  
that the people of Dallas will get their  
mail on the morning train hereafter  
henceforth instead of in the evening,  
owing to a change in schedule that  
brings the eastern trains into Port-  
land early enough for the Dallas train  
to catch the mail in time for the morn-  
ing run. The Spokane mail will be  
brought up from Portland on the even-  
ing train in future, instead of being  
sent across from Salem by stage.

Dr. A. B. Starbuck, who returned  
Thursday evening from Portland,  
where he had taken Wiley Hayes to  
be operated on for tubercular glands  
of the neck, says that although ex-  
tremely delicate and dangerous, the  
operation proved quite successful and  
the boy is improving rapidly.

## Forced Sale

We are obliged to raise a certain amount of  
money by January 1. To do this we must  
sell our entire stock of Chinaware, Glass-  
ware, Queensware, Lamps, Books, Toys,  
etc. at about cost. Our store will be closed

Thursday & Friday  
December 11 and 12

to enable us to mark down our goods to cost  
and below in preparation for the big sale  
which will begin SATURDAY, DEC. 12.

W. H. ROY & CO.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hastings, of  
Pedee Hills, were visitors in Dallas  
yesterday. Mr. Hastings says that  
the dairying industry is growing rap-  
idly and will soon become the main  
source of income to the farmers of that  
locality.

Next Monday and Tuesday, Decem-  
ber 14 and 15, two days only, Dr.  
Lowe, the well-known oculo-optician,  
will be in Dallas. He does not go  
from house to house. Consult him  
about your eyes and glasses at the  
Hotel Gail. 19 years' experience.

The rear portion of C. G. Long's  
meat market in Independence was  
destroyed by fire Friday night. The  
exact amount of the damage is not  
known but it was probably quite  
heavy as nearly all the machinery  
belonging to the establishment was  
destroyed. It is not known how the  
fire was started.

T. A. Riggs came down from Inde-  
pendence and reported the purchase in  
the past ten days of about 1500 bales of  
hops in Yamhill and Polk counties.  
The highest price paid by Mr. Riggs  
was \$1 cents for the Dickey lot of 82  
bales at Sheridan. This is also the  
highest price paid for Oregon hops  
since they were in the bale—Oregonian.

R. W. Bollman, wanted in Portland  
on a charge of defrauding an inn-  
keeper, was brought back from Dallas,  
Thursday, by Deputy Constable Wert-  
heimer and looked up in the county  
jail. Bollman is accused by Mrs. M. E.  
Scott, of St. John, of having removed  
his effects from her boarding-house  
without the formality of settling his  
indebtedness.—Telegram.

Mrs. C. Shepherd, of Bridgeport,  
gave a wool picking bee at her home  
Wednesday, the afternoon being spent  
in a most enjoyable social manner.  
Those present were: Mrs. D. Shepherd,  
Mrs. J. M. Card, Mrs. Thomas Card,  
Mrs. Chester Guthrie, Mrs. Lou Mus-  
cott, Mrs. L. Ramey, Mrs. C. H. Mor-  
ris, Mrs. H. G. Campbell, Mrs. C.  
Shepherd, Mrs. G. W. Siefert, and  
Mrs. J. Murphy.

A rousing meeting of the Good  
Roads Association was held at Inde-  
pendence yesterday. The program  
consisted of several vocal and instru-  
mental numbers, followed by  
addresses by leading men of Polk  
county. Claude Gatech, of Salem, dis-  
cussed methods of improving the high-  
ways and means of procuring money  
for same. Judge Ryan, of Oregon  
City, was expected to be present, but  
was kept at home on account of illness.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

[Advertisements under this head are charged  
at the rate of 1 cent per word, first insertion; 1/2  
cent per word for each insertion thereafter; 30  
words or less, 10 cents per month. No advertisement  
inserted for less than 15 cents.  
Figures count as one word. For instance,  
the numeral combination "250" counts as one  
word.  
Two initials count as one word. For instance,  
"J. M. Jones" counts as two words.  
The minimum charge for 15 words; that is,  
an advertisement from 1 word to 15 words is  
counted as 15 words; an advertisement from 16  
to 20 words, inclusive, is counted as 20 words;  
from 21 to 25 words, inclusive, is counted as 25 words, etc.  
The figures following the advertisement indi-  
cate how long it is to run, and are not charged  
for the advertisement. For instance, 3-31-25 indicates  
that the advertisement was first published on  
March 31, and that it is to be inserted twice.  
The figures and letters 4-1-17 indicate that the  
advertisement was first published April 1 and  
that it is to be run until the customer orders it  
discontinued.]

Wanted.  
Plain sewing. Mutual phone 1268.  
12-8-11

For Sale.  
Two good Jersey cows for sale.  
Henry Robbins. 12-8-11

Notice.  
First-class horse shoeing done at  
P. J. Wagner's implement and black-  
smith shop. 9-4-11

Tool Set For Sale.  
Complete blacksmith outfit suitable  
for farmers' use. Prices reasonable.  
Inquire of E. Evans. Mutual phone.  
12-8-11

Stray Notice.  
Lost or strayed, an English setter.  
About 10 months old; white with pale  
tan spots on ears; slight rupture  
visible on abdomen. Last seen near  
Rickerdell. Will give reward for his  
return in good condition. E. W.  
KEARNS.

Cedar Posts.  
Good cedar posts for sale at 1 1/2 cents  
each. Also another car of extra Star  
A Star shingles. SOEHNEN WARE-  
HOUSE. 7-24-11

Removal Notice.  
I have moved the Tom Reel barber  
shop to the first door west of Morris  
jewelry store.  
12-8-11 F. B. VOSE.

Lost.  
Between Presbyterian church, post-  
office and my residence, an open faced  
gold watch. Finder please return and  
receive reward.  
12-8-11 E. V. DALTON.

Dressmaking.  
Mrs. F. E. Gage has opened dress-  
making parlors at her home on  
Academy street, three doors west of  
the college building and is prepared  
to handle orders for all kinds of  
sewing.  
12-9-11

The New Grocery.  
I have just opened a new grocery  
store in the building adjoining the  
National Bank. Everything up-to-  
date and of the best quality in stock.  
Your patronage is solicited and you  
may be assured that your orders will  
be filled with the utmost promptness  
and care. Patronize my store once  
and I feel sure that you will continue  
to patronize it.  
11-13-11 J. L. CASTLE.

Notice of Change in Name.  
Notice is hereby given, to whom it  
may concern, that the name of Paul  
Jagodzinski, was by order of the Hon.  
County Court of Polk County, State of  
Oregon, duly and regularly made and  
entered of record in said court on the  
5th day of December, A. D. 1908, duly  
changed to Paul Jakey. Done by  
order of the Hon. Ed F. Coad, Judge  
of said County Court, duly made this  
5th day of December, A. D. 1908.  
Witness my hand and the seal of  
said court.  
(Seal) E. M. SMITH,  
County Clerk.

Notice of Change in Name.  
Notice is hereby given, to whom it  
may concern, that the name of Andrew  
Jagodzinski, was by order of the Hon.  
County Court of Polk County, State of  
Oregon, duly and regularly made and  
entered of record in said court on the  
5th day of December, A. D. 1908, duly  
changed to Andrew Jakey. Done by  
order of the Hon. Ed F. Coad, Judge  
of said County Court, duly made this  
5th day of December, A. D. 1908.  
Witness my hand and the seal of  
said court.  
(Seal) E. M. SMITH,  
County Clerk.

No. 7472.  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION  
OF THE  
Dallas National Bank  
At Dallas, in the State of Oregon, at  
the close of business, November  
27, 1908.

RESOURCES.  
Loans and discounts \$112,731.37  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 2,537.37  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 29,000.00  
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 847.75  
Bonds, securities, etc. 78,434.18  
Furniture, fixtures and equipment 4,000.00  
Due from State Banks and Bankers 2,776.28  
Due from approved reserve agents 34,912.00  
Checks and other cash items 22,891.12  
Notes of other National Banks 50.00  
Fractional paper currency, nickels and  
cents 329.94  
CASH ON HAND 25,281.86  
TOTAL \$282,000.95

LIABILITIES.  
Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00  
Surplus fund 5,000.00  
Undivided profits, less expense and  
taxes paid 1,930.30  
National Bank notes outstanding 24,300.00  
Due to State Banks and Bankers 1,222.11  
Individual deposits subject to check 161,000.29  
Demand certificates of deposit 27,300.00  
Time certificates of deposit 20,500.40  
Certified checks 301.75  
Total \$282,000.95

State of Oregon, )  
County of Polk, ) ss.  
I, E. HAYTER, Cashier of the above-named  
bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-  
ment is true to the best of my knowledge and  
belief.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th  
day of December, 1908. OSCAR HAYTER,  
Notary Public.  
CHERRY—ALICE.  
L. N. WOODS,  
N. L. BUTLER, Directors  
E. H. McCALLISTER

# 25 Per Cent DISCOUNT ON LADIES' COATS

Fine up-to-date garments, broken  
in sizes but lots of different styles  
to choose from and every one a  
bargain.

DALLAS MERCANTILE CO.

## December Bulletin <sup>A</sup> Price List

Owing to a good many late shipments, we find that our stock is too heavy for  
this time of the year and in order to reduce it before the first of the year we  
quote the following prices:

50 samples of Ladies' and Misses' Dress Skirts (val-  
ues from \$6 to \$8) December price \$4.85 48c  
10, 15 and 20 per cent discount on all our Ladies' and  
Misses' Dress Skirts \$1.00 " " including blue and black 82c  
10 to 20 per cent discount on all our Ladies' and  
Misses' Tailor-made Suits, Cloaks and Furs. \$1.25 " " 98c  
The entire stock of Children's Coats at Cost. 25% discount on all Fancy and Figured Silks.  
Millinery at 33 1/3% off. To close out a lot of Kid Gloves, values to \$1.50 85c  
Big reduction on Ladies' and Misses' Coat Sweaters. Hundreds of good things are still to be had from our  
Ladies' Union Suits (Gray) Dec. price 43c line of "Manufacturers' Sample Sale."  
75 & 85c " " " " 63c Odds and ends in Shoes at almost your own price.  
\$1.10 " " " " 78c  
\$1.50 " " " " \$1.18

Closing out at Cost all the Black Cat Ladies' and  
Misses' Woolen Hose.  
\$1, 1.15 and 1.18 Ladies' Sample Waists, price 78c  
\$1.38, 1.50, 1.65 " " \$1.18  
All higher priced waists cut in proportion.  
12c Outing Flannel, this seasons, Dec. price 9c  
50c Dress Goods, late novelties 42c  
Shoes in the county.

### AT OUR CLOTHING STORE

We buy from the most reliable manufacturers and  
sell at moderate prices.  
Men's all-wool Suits and Overcoats from \$7.50 to \$12.50  
Men's worsted " " " " \$12.50 to \$20.00  
H. S. & M. hand made " " " " \$15.00 to \$25.00  
Young Men's Suits from \$5.00 to \$10.00  
Children's " " " " \$2.50 to 7.50  
The largest stock of Men's Women's and Children's  
Shoes in the county.

Remember that every article sold at our store is guaranteed. If not right we  
make it right. Before buying your Fall bill come in and get our prices.

D. M. NAYBERGER

Former Partner and Successor to R. Jacobson & Co. McMinnville, Ore.

#### Notice.

I have taken charge of the black-  
smithing department of F. J. Wag-  
ner's implement establishment on Oak  
street, and would be pleased to receive  
the patronage of citizens of Dallas  
and vicinity. All work will receive  
prompt and careful attention. W. J.  
WAGNER. 11-24-11

#### Wood For Sale.

Do you need wood? In preparing  
to place your orders remember that I  
am able to furnish you all kinds of  
slab wood from either of the Dallas  
sawmills at the best possible rates.  
Send in your orders by either phone,  
Mutual 1196; Bell 443.  
8-4-11. AUGUST BOWMAN.

#### Collections.

I have been conducting a collecting  
agency in Dallas for more than a  
year, and have thus far met with al-  
most uniform success. All accounts  
placed in my hands for collection will  
receive prompt and careful attention,  
and I feel that I can assure complete  
satisfaction to all my clients. 8-18-11  
L. D. BUTLER

## WARM ROBES

More than half the pleasure of driving is in being com-  
fortable. When I drive, I want to keep warm and I  
believe you are made from the same bolt of cloth.  
Doesn't make much difference whether you drive for  
pleasure or business, you need a good warm robe any-  
way, one that you can wrap yourself up in, one, that  
if necessary can cover up two or three people without  
letting the wind in. That's the kind to have—that's  
the one I want to show.

I have one with grey skins in frame. A very hand-  
some robe for \$9.50

Also a race track scene in red frame for \$6.00

I have several other designs that are beautiful and  
prices low. Call and examine.

FRANK SALFICKY Dallas, Ore.

## Clean, Fresh Groceries

We carry the Famous DIAMOND  
"W" brand of Extracts, Spices,  
Coffee, Tea and Canned Goods.  
Fresh Bread Every Day

SIMONTON & SCOTT DALLAS

#### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon,  
November 3, 1908.  
Notice is hereby given that Miss Becker, of  
Vancouver, Washington, who, on November 3,  
1908, made Timber Land Application, No. 0024,  
for Northwest 1/4 of Northeast 1/4, Section 8,  
Township 5 South Range 7 West of Willamette  
Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make  
Final Cash Proof to establish claim to the land  
described in U. S. Land Office at Portland, Ore-  
gon, on the 15th day of January, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: John Lowe, of  
Vancouver, Washington; David Young, of Van-  
couver, Washington; George Keller, of Van-  
couver, Washington; Paul Becker, of Vancouver,  
Washington.

ALGERNON S. DEESHER,  
Register.

M. OLIVE SMITH  
teacher of  
PIANO AND ORGAN

Studio, Room No. 2, Wilson Block  
DALLAS OREGON

#### ATTORNEY AT LAW

J. L. COLLINS  
Main Street, Near Postoffice  
DALLAS, OREGON

#### ATTORNEY AT LAW.

N. L. BUTLER,  
Office over Dallas City Bank.  
DALLAS OREGON

#### DR. ELBERT E. FISHER

Specialist in diseases of the  
Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat  
Office, Rooms 1-2, Over Bush Bank  
SALEM OREGON

## YOU'LL OPEN YOUR EYES

wide when you see the kind of gro-  
ceries we sell. You'll be both amazed  
and delighted at the absence of all  
trash or inferior qualities.

### TAKE OUR TEAS, COFFEES AND SPICES

for instance. You will find them  
strictly high grade in everything ex-  
cept price. That you will find dis-  
tinctly low. Many sales to satisfied  
customers are the reward of our  
moderation. Can we add you to the  
list?

E. BOYD & SON

Phones: Bell 43, Mutual 214.